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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Buckle, et. Al

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For: Thin-Wall Anode Can

) Group Art Unit: 1745

) Examiner: Unknown

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Attention: Box Missing Parts
Assistant Commissioner For Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the *Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted* (Form-1533) mailed 2/14/02 (copy enclosed). Kindly consider the following:

- It is indicated that the signature(s) to the oath or declaration is missing from the application as originally filed. Accordingly, Applicant(s) respectfully submit the attached Declaration Combined with Power of Attorney signed by the inventor(s). Under separate cover, Formal Drawings have been sent to the Official Draftsperson.
- Please charge the surcharge of **\$130.00** required in 37 CFR 1.16(e) to **Deposit Account 07-1350**. The Commissioner also is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this Account number. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- The Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 CFR §1.136(a) to grant any extension of time needed for timely response to the above mentioned to preserve pendency of the present application. The processing fee under 37 CFR §1.17 has been determined as follows:
\$ _____ for a _____ month extension of time. The Commissioner also is authorized to charge this fee to Deposit Account 07-1350.



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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR 1.8)

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);
 - Drawings must be in dark ink (not pencil), except where color drawings or photographs are permitted.
 - Drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, and copy marks.
 - Numbers, letters, and reference characters must measure at least 0.32 cm (1/8 inch) in height.

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